UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

District of New Mexico

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Judgment in a Criminal Case

Omar Hugo Trejo-Rodriguez

(For **Revocation** of Probation or Supervised Release)

Case Number: 2:09CR01606-001JB

USM Number: 49416-051

Defense Attorney: Margaret Katze, Appointed

THE DEFE	NDAN I:		
The defenda	nt is adjudicated guilty of these violations:		
Violation	Nature of Violation	Violation Ended	
Number 1	MC - The defendant committed anoth	er federal, state, or local crime. 10/13/2010	
The defenda Reform Act		gh 3 of this judgment. The sentence is imposed pursuant to the Sentencing	
☐ The def	Fendant has not violated condition(s) and	s discharged as to such violation(s).	
name, reside	ence, or mailing address until all fines, resti	otify the United States attorney for this district within 30 days of any change of ution, costs, and special assessments imposed by this judgment are fully paid. court and United States attorney of material changes in economic circumstance	
None		September 14, 2012	
Last Four Digits of Defendant's Soc. Sec. No.		Date of Imposition of Judgment	
1978		/s/ James O. Browning	
Defendant's Year of Birth		Signature of Judge	
Compton, CA		Honorable James O. Browning United States District Judge	
City and State of Defendant's Residence		Name and Title of Judge	
		December 4, 2012	
		Date Signed	

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IMPRISONMENT

The defendant is hereby committed to the custody of the United States Bureau of Prisons to be imprisoned for a total term of **67 days or time served, whichever is less**.

A term of supervised release is not reimposed.

Defendant Omar Trejo-Rodriguez, pursuant to U.S.S.G. § 7B1.1, has committed a Grade B violation of his supervised release. Trejo-Rodriguez` criminal history is category V. His advisory guidelines sentence is 18 to 24 months pursuant to U.S.S.G. § 7B1.4.

The Court believes that a sentence of 67 days imprisonment, or time served, with no further term of supervised release, adequately reflects the seriousness of the crime that Trejo-Rodriguez has committed and will promote respect for the law, provide just punishment, and afford adequate deterrence. While the sentence varies from the suggested range under the Sentencing Guidelines, it is a more reasonable sentence and more faithfully promotes the sentencing goals Congress set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a).

The Court notes that Trejo-Rodriguez violated a condition of his supervised release, committing another federal crime in illegally reentering the United States. The Court has considered the guidelines, but, in arriving at its sentence, has taken into account not only the guidelines but other sentencing goals. The Court has carefully considered the parties' arguments in this case and Trejo-Rodriguez` circumstances. Trejo-Rodriguez was very recently released after serving an 24-month sentence in the Southern District of California for the offense of illegal re-entry. Because the Court often runs sentences for supervised release violations concurrently with the sentence imposed for the offense of which the defendant is convicted, the Court believes that the 24-month sentence and the additional 67 days, or time served, that he has thus far served in this District immediately after his release provides just punishment for the offense. If Trejo-Rodriguez comes back into the United States again, his criminal history category would be level VI, and his time of incarceration would go up. That Trejo-Rodriguez has been advised of this fact by the Court and his attorney provides adequate deterrence. Trejo-Rodriguez represents to the Court that, although he knew it was unlawful, he re-entered the United States to care for his ailing parents. Because the underlying offense was not violent, this sentence adequately protects the public. The Court notes that, in addition to Trejo-Rodriguez` 24-month sentence in California being equivalent to the high end of a guidelines sentence for his supervised release violation here, the United States generally and the District of New Mexico specifically is phasing out supervised release for defendants who are deported after sentencing. A sentence of 67 days, or time served, thus avoids unwarranted sentencing disparities among defendants with similar records who have been found guilty of similar conduct. This sentence, therefore, adequately reflects the seriousness of the offense, promotes respect for the law, provides just punishment, affords adequate deterrence, protects the public, avoids unwarranted sentencing disparities among similarly situated defendants, and otherwise fully reflects each of the factors embodied in 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a). This sentence of time served, in light of Trejo-Rodriguez having just recently been released from serving a 24-month sentence in California, reflects the seriousness of the offense and promotes respect for the law. While the Court's task, as a district court, is not to arrive at a reasonable sentence -- it is to come up with one that reflects the factors in 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a), see United States v. Conlan, 500 F.3d 1167, 1169 (10th Cir. 2007)("[A] district court's job is not to impose a reasonable sentence. Rather, a district court's mandate is to impose a sentence sufficient, but not greater than necessary, to comply with the purposes of section 3553(a)(2)." (citation omitted)) -- the Court believes this sentence is reasonable. And perhaps most important in this calculation, the Court believes that this sentence is sufficient without being greater than necessary to comply with the purposes of punishment Congress set forth in the Sentencing Reform Act of 1984, Pub. L. No. 98-473, 98 Stat. 1987 (codified as amended in scattered sections of 18 U.S.C.). The Court sentences Trejo-Rodriguez to 67 days imprisonment, or time served.

	The court makes these recommendations to the Bureau of Prisons:
\boxtimes	The defendant is remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal. The defendant shall surrender to the United States Marshal for this district: □ at on □ as notified by the United States Marshal.

By

DEPUTY UNITED STATES MARSHAL